Daily Digest

Senate

Chamber Action

Committee Meetings

The Senate was not in session and stands adjourned until 3:00 p.m., on Monday, December 9, 2019.

No committee meetings were held.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Public Bills and Resolutions Introduced: 29 public bills, H.R. 5331–5359; and 4 resolutions, H. Con. Res. 78; and H. Res. 745–747 were introduced.

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Additional Cosponsors:

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Reports Filed: Reports were filed today as follows: H.R. 3, to establish a fair price negotiation program, protect the Medicare program from excessive price increases, and establish an out-of-pocket maximum for Medicare part D enrollees, and for other purposes, with an amendment (H. Rept. 116–324, Part 1);

H.R. 3, to establish a fair price negotiation program, protect the Medicare program from excessive price increases, and establish an out-of-pocket maximum for Medicare part D enrollees, and for other purposes, with an amendment (H. Rept. 116–324, Part 2);

H.R. 4650, to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to provide coverage for certain dental items and services under part B of the Medicare program, with an amendment (H. Rept. 116–325, Part 1);

H.R. 4618, to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to provide coverage for certain hearing items and services under part B of the Medicare program, with an amendment (H. Rept. 116–326, Part 1); and

H.R. 4665, to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to provide coverage for certain vision items and services under part B of the Medicare pro-

gram, with an amendment (H. Rept. 116–327, Part 1). Page H9345

Speaker: Read a letter from the Speaker wherein she appointed Representative Brown (MD) to act as Speaker pro tempore for today.

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Expressing the sense of the House of Representatives regarding United States efforts to resolve the Israeli-Palestinian conflict through a negotiated two-state solution: The House agreed to H. Res. 326, expressing the sense of the House of Representatives regarding United States efforts to resolve the Israeli-Palestinian conflict through a negotiated two-state solution, by a yea-and-nay vote of 226 yeas to 188 nays with two answering "present", Roll No. 652.

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Pursuant to the Rule, the amendments to the resolution and the preamble recommended by the Committee on Foreign Affairs now printed in the bill, modified by the amendments printed in part B of H. Rept. 116–322, shall be considered as adopted.

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H. Res. 741, the rule providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 4) and the resolution (H. Res. 326) was agreed to yesterday, December 5th.

Voting Rights Advancement Act of 2019: The House passed H.R. 4, to amend the Voting Rights Act of 1965 to revise the criteria for determining which States and political subdivisions are subject to section 4 of the Act, by a recorded vote of 228 ayes to 187 noes, Roll No. 654. Pages H9308–30, H9331–34

Rejected the Rodney Davis (IL) motion to recommit the bill to the Committee on the Judiciary with instructions to report the same back to the House

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